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Better late than never... 2014 was a productive year in the Yellowstone, but there's always more to do.

Attached please find the Outreach Work Plan for the Yellowstone sub-Area for FY15. Pending your review and approval...

I'm hoping to open the door for Preparedness folks to present at the 13th Annual Safety Conference in Billings, MT in March 2015. I'm thinking they would be interested in a refresher on EPCRA, Tier II, etc. in light of the fact that Billings is becoming a staging and logistical hub for the Bakken and we've had some experience with how that can go sideways with the Red River Supply Warehouse Fire in Williston.

Also, I'm banking on Cowboy Timber becoming a removal so I can leverage site-travel for the remaining lower Yellowstone sACP work that I need to do this year to wrap that tactical plan up. Craig, please keep me as your backup on that one...

Paul, I'm sort-of volunteering you and I to teach the Oil Spill Response Course at the Respond Wyoming Conference in Riverton, WY next March since you're going to be knee deep in sACP mode in WY this year for the North Platte/Cheyenne and that's the best opportunity I've yet found to reach responders and local emergency managers in WY at one time/place. Besides, what could be better than booming the ice cold Wind River? Perhaps a wrestling meet...

Thanks!

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